



General Assembly

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Committee Bill No. 5802

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Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by:
(PH)

AN ACT CONCERNING HEPATITIS B VACCINATIONS FOR FIRST RESPONDERS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2005*) The Commissioner of Public
- 2 Health shall establish, within available appropriations, an
- 3 immunization program which shall provide hepatitis B vaccine at no
- 4 cost to health care providers in Connecticut to administer to civil
- 5 preparedness forces, as defined in section 28-1 of the general statutes.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>July 1, 2005</i>	New section
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Statement of Purpose:

To make hepatitis B vaccinations available to first responders.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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